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Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application

English Language Declaration

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name,

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

FOLDABLE MODULAR LIGHT DIFFUSION BOX

the specification of which

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☒ is attached hereto.

☐ was filed on _____ as United States Application No. or PCT International
Application Number _____
and was amended on _____
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119(a)-(d) or Section 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or Section 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate or PCT International application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Not Claimed

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. Section 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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August 21, 2000

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(Filing Date)

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(patented, pending, abandoned)

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Pending

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. *(list name and registration number)*

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SIGNATURE OF INVENTOR 

DATE: 11/1/00

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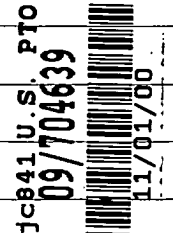
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4. Application number(s) or registration numbers(s):

If this document is being filed together with a new application, the execution date of the application is: November 1, 2000

A. Patent Application No.(s)

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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

David L. Hoffman, Esq.

Name of Person Signing

Signature

November 1, 2000

Date

P A T E N T A S S I G N M E N T

This Assignment made as of the date executed below, by ROBERT E. LEE (Assignor) of Topanga, California, to BRUCE L. FINN (Assignee), having a place of residence at 1030 Stanford Street, Santa Monica, California 90403.

WHEREAS, Assignor has co-invented a new and useful invention(s) entitled FOLDABLE MODULAR LIGHT DIFFUSION BOX (Invention(s)), for which a United States Utility Patent application will be filed, further identified by attorneys Cislo & Thomas LLP's, docket number D-7070 (Patent Application);

WHEREAS, Assignor believes himself to be an original, first, and joint inventor of the invention(s) disclosed and claimed in said Patent Application; and

WHEREAS, Assignee desires to acquire by formal, recordable assignment the entire right, title, and interest in and to said Invention(s), and said Patent Application in the United States and throughout the world;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby sells, assigns, and transfers to Assignee, his entire right, title, and interest in and to said Invention(s), and said Patent Application for said Invention(s) in the United States and throughout the world, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of Assignee and to claim for any such foreign applications any priority rights to which such applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties, or otherwise.

Further, Assignor agrees that, upon request and without further compensation, but at no expense to Assignor, he and his legal representatives and assigns will do all lawful acts,

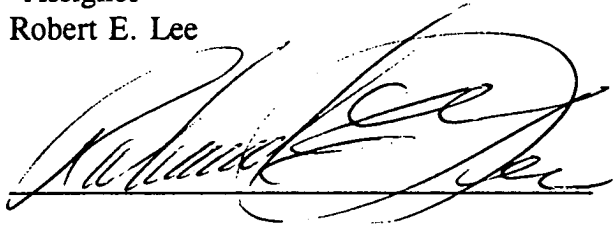
including the execution of papers and the giving of testimony, that may be necessary or desirable for obtaining, sustaining, reissuing or enforcing said Patent Application in the United States and throughout the world for said Invention(s), and for perfecting, recording or maintaining the title of Assignee, his successors and assigns, to said Invention(s), and said Patent Application filed, and any patents granted for said Invention(s) in the United States and throughout the world.

Assignor represents and warrants that he has not granted and will not grant to others any rights inconsistent with the rights granted herein.

Assignor authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks of the United States and of all foreign countries to issue any Letters Patent granted for said Invention(s), whether on an application for said Invention(s), or on any subsequently filed division, continuation, continuation-in-part, or reissue application, to Assignee, its successors and assigns, as the assignee of his entire interest in said Invention(s).

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Assignor has executed this Assignment on the date first above written and as set forth below.

"Assignor"
Robert E. Lee

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Robert E. Lee', written over a horizontal line.

9-2-98

Date